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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 16, 2005, petition and payment for a two month extension of time being attached hereto, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

Attachment: Copies of pertinent pages of "THE CYTOKINE Facts Book" are attached following page 15 of this document.

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